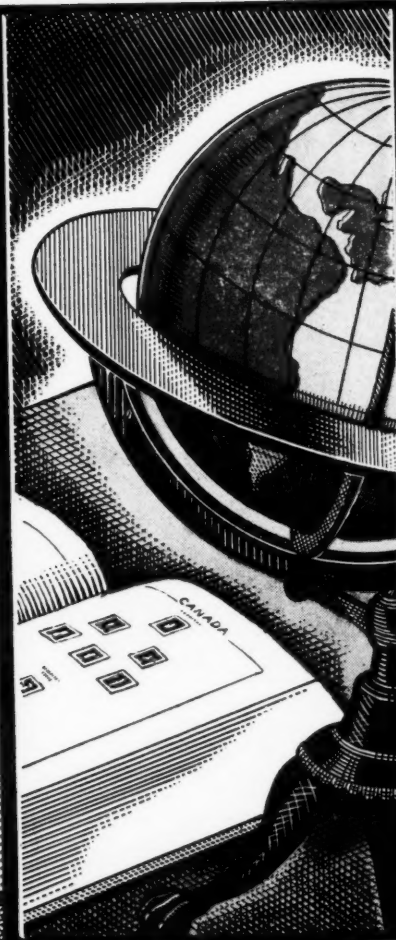
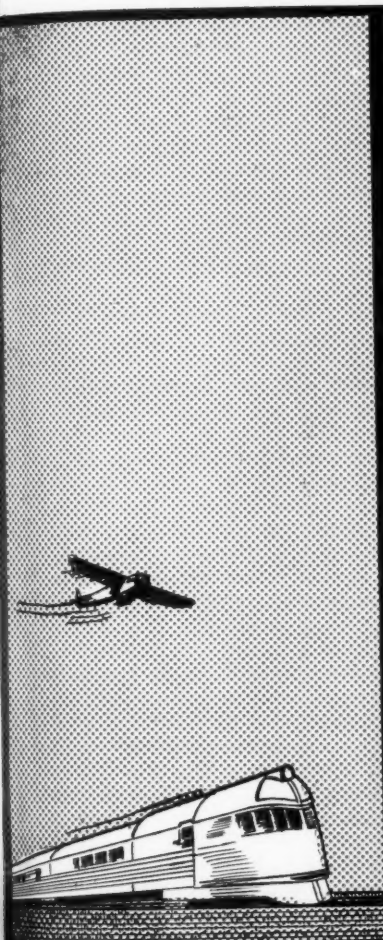


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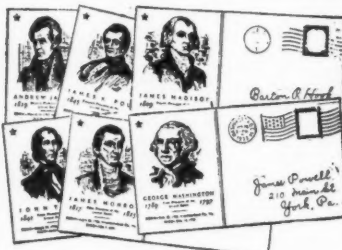
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Canada: "Jacques Cartier" Commemorative

By R. ROBERTS

AN interesting little "gutter" variety occurs in which the vertical spacing between the stamps measures 5mm. instead of the usual $3\frac{1}{2}$ mm., the explanation of which appeared rather puzzling.

I have received, by courtesy of the Assistant Deputy Postmaster-General, the following official explanation of this variation:

"This peculiarity is due to the fact that in transferring the die to the plate of 200, divided vertically into two panes of 100, a wide central gutter of 5mm. was left to permit of guillotining the sheets into panes, having imperforate margins in the centre.

"The manufacturers had proceeded in this way with the issue of 61,850 sheets, in almost its entirety, when it was discovered that the resultant 'straight edges' were being produced contrary to an undertaking previously given to the Department that no more straight edges should occur. They accordingly made the remaining portion, consisting of about 1,000 sheets of 200, with perforations down the central gutter. At the time the Department had no knowledge that this gutter was wider than the others.

"The best centred of these fully perforated sheets were allocated for philatelic sales, in order to avoid wastage of the straight-edged stamps, which are not acceptable to the majority of philatelic clients.

"Shortly after the receipt of these sheets it was noticed by the Department that the central gutter was wider, and that a philatelic oddity had occurred. Instructions were immediately given that all the remaining sheets were to be torn apart into panes of 100, and this was done forthwith. Meanwhile some 50 sheets had been sold intact; but so far the existence of this wide central gutter had not given rise to any enquiry of the Department on the part of purchasers, and the only cases about which enquiry

had been made related to the few sheets complete, which were sold over the counter in Ottawa. The existence of the wider inner perforated margins on the sheets that were torn apart seems to have passed unnoticed."

I have before me a complete unbroken sheet of 200 subjects, and of course, it would be impossible to recognise this variety, except in a pair, or preferably a strip of 3 or 4, in which latter form it is obvious. It is easy to understand that the wider gutter would not be noticed

siderable scarcity. It would seem that only approximately some sixty strips could have been preserved, of which twenty remain in the archives of the Department.

The sheet before me has full margins and bears the inscription, "PLATE NO. 2" sideways, on the left pane of the sheet at top and at the foot reading upwards, and on the right side margin on the right pane at top and at the foot reading downwards. The perforation down the centre between the two panes is 11, the same as the other parts of sheet, being made by the same line machine. Collectors who possess blocks and horizontal pairs of this handsome large format portrait of Jacques Cartier would do well to carefully examine and measure the vertical gutters between the stamps, and may congratulate themselves if they find a piece with such guttering measuring 5mm. instead of the ordinary $3\frac{1}{2}$ mm. spacing.

Philatelic Magazine.



Cleveland Stamp Club Annual

Cleveland's second philatelic attraction for 1936-1937 will be the annual banquet and exhibition of the Cleveland Stamp Club. Cleveland was host to the Philatelic Congress early in December. The exhibition and bourse will open at 1 P. M. on February 6th and 10 A. M. February 7th. All United States commemorative and airmail issues will be on display. The banquet will be held at 7 P. M. on Saturday. An elaborate floor show has been booked, and the auction will contain many fine items. The exhibition and banquet will be in Hotel Hollenden, Cleveland, Ohio. Those wishing bourse space should contact E. N. Ong, secretary, 700 Hanna Building, Cleveland, Ohio.

after the panes were torn apart; the variety is therefore only collectable in a pair, strip, or block, where the gutter can be measured between the two stamps, or compared with the normal spacing.

There are only ten such pairs (or strips) on the sheet of two hundred, and I understand that only very few such sheets were preserved intact—some half-dozen, I believe—and two of these have been kept in the Department's archives, so this variety must prove to be of con-

AUSTRALIAN NOTES

S. ZELENKO
Mt. Waverley, Victoria, Australia

AUSTRALIA

It is highly probable that many philatelists in the United States do not overlook slogans in use by Post Offices and in anticipation of this, I have selected a few from the ones in use at present in Australia. The Sydney G. P. O. is already proclaiming the sesquicentennial celebrations (and of course, another commemorative issue) in the following slogan:

"AUSTRALIA'S 150th Anniversary Celebrations N S W 1938." The Defence Department's drive to restore the Commonwealth peace time strength of 35,000 men has found its echo in the slogan:

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two more slogans met very frequently at present.

The Air Mail Society of Australia has decided to hold an AIR MAIL EXHIBITION in Melbourne next year. This would be the first of its kind ever held in Australia. It will be competitive in nature and will probably be conducted over a period of two days in October, 1937. Mr. P. Collas, 13 Holzer street, Sandringham S.8 Victoria is Hon. Sec. "Australia's 150th Anniversary Philatelic Exhibition, Sydney, 1938" is the title of the exhibition to be held in Sydney in 1938, and arrangements are now well in hand. The year 1938 beside commemorating the 150th anniversary of Australia is also the centenary of the issue of the first postage stamp, the 1838 envelope of New South Wales.

NEW ZEALAND

Two plates, numbered 1 and 2 were prepared for the printing of the 1936 Health stamp. Each plate comprised four panes with 48 impressions in each pane. The plate numbers are shown on the four corners of each large sheet, thus leaving the plate number in one of the outer corners of the smaller sheets of 48. No official first day covers were available but a great number of envelopes for the purpose was prepared by dealers and philatelic societies. It seems that first day covers have become very popular with collectors, and though they do not command yet such attention as in the U. S. A. they are nevertheless rapidly coming into their own.

Official figures for the Chamber of Commerce stamps issued are shown hereunder:

$\frac{1}{2}$ d.—3,504,096; 1d.—5,976,096; $\frac{2}{3}$ d.—357,696; 4d.—364,896; 6d.—441,696.

The final figures of the number of Anzac stamps sold are as follows:

$\frac{1}{2}$ d. + $\frac{1}{2}$ d. — 1,840,810; 1d. + 1d. — 1,179,218. These sales benefited the funds for the relief of distress among returned soldiers to the extent of about \$35,200.

No further official announcement has been made in connection with the contemplated Coronation issue, but it is very likely that New Zealand will follow the lead given by South Africa's announcement of a special coronation issue.

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All very nice, but Mr. Gamber knows that it was the intention that these stamps be issued first day at Washington, D. C., and that they be issued from other postoffices throughout the country as soon AFTER that date as was possible. Mr. Gamber however is not the postmaster and need not be blamed for this action on the part of the postmaster.

The Postmaster, however, clearly shows himself to be nothing else but a "Dumb Bunny," one of those kind who should be relieved from his job at once for the good of the service. The matter of issuing these stamps is of course immaterial, the point being that if a postmaster is not capable of observing the usual rules of the office as laid down by the department, it is time to get a postmaster who will cooperate, and any postmaster who professes that he was ignorant of the facts as to when and how these stamps were to be put on sale is not giving the proper attention to his duties.

Dietz Confederate States Catalogue and Handbook 1937

The new 1937 edition of this book which is in effect a thoroughly Specialized Catalogue and Handbook of the Postage Stamps of the Confederate States as well as Postmaster Provisionals and Handstamps is far more thorough and complete than any of the previous issues.

It would seem from a careful examination of the volume at hand that nothing more could be added to the vast amount of information that is contained within its covers.

The publishers have done a wonderful work in gathering and compiling the information contained within the covers of the book and certainly no person who professes an interest in these issues can afford to be without a copy of the book.

To say that it is published and printed by The Dietz Press of Richmond, Va., is sufficient warrant of the excellence of the work from a printer's standpoint. The arrangement and compilation of the contents is done by men who have had wide experience in work of this nature for the Dietz Press are noted for their production of many historical books on Virginia and the Old South.

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So the Doctor worked on his 3c stamps. He would come to a pair with large white margin on the top and left hand side, for instance, and know they were from the N. W. corner of a plate. He would study the second stamp under his magnifying glass until he knew it by heart, and then search for a pair that showed No. 2 and No. 3. And so he worked his way across the plate. Then he would hunt up stamp No. 1 with another under it and then he knew he had No. 11. And so he reconstructed his plate. Get it?

Gee, that is interesting. But how about the other plates? How did he know which was which?

He didn't at first. He'd come across a stamp No. 1 that didn't match up, so he knew he had another plate started. That was the way he worked the whole thing out. Of course stamps on covers helped with the dates, showing when the different shades were used, so at last he was able to publish his book with all information practically complete—the number of plates, minor varieties, recuttings, and the years when the different shades were printed, the orange brown in 1851, the dull red and its shades in 1853-4-5 and the claret in 1857.

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This statement is authentic and given by Mr. Jos. Whitebrough, President of the Garden City Stamp Agency, Inc., who has been appointed as appraiser by a Finance Corporation. Other Loan Companies are also interested in this new field.

Mr. Whitebrough, who is nationally known as an expert and collector of Bureau Precancels, has one of the finest collections of Bureau Coil Pairs and is well fitted to give expert appraisals. It also may be mentioned that he obtained the only known gap pair, Garden City, N. Y., B101 Catalog value \$50.00 (in 1934 listed at \$7.50) as the highest bid-

der in a New York auction, bidding over five times catalog value and establishing a record of value for a precanceled stamp. The news of this sensational auction bid appeared in 62 philatelic publications, including foreign magazines.

Stamp Club News

THE CENTRAL NEW ENGLAND STAMP CLUBS ASSOCIATION will hold its regular winter meeting at the Legion Home in Somerville, Mass., Sunday, January 31st. The banquet is limited at 150 with tickets at \$1.00. The meet opens at 12:00 noon, bourse all day, delegates meet at 4:30 and banquet at 6:00 P. M. Auction at 7:00 P. M.

THE POSTAGE STAMP BOURSE OF CHICAGO has elected the following new officers for 1937: J. Henri Ripstra, President; Adolph Gunesch, Vice-Pres.; Lawrence Josephson, Second Vice-Pres.; Jose Unseitig, Secretary; Jos. Whitebrough, Treasurer; Julius Loeffler, Manager. Address the manager at 189 W. Madison Street.

THE MIDDLETOWN STAMP CLUB of Middletown, N. Y., held its annual meeting and elected new officers for 1937 at its meeting of January 7th. Meetings are held every other Thursday night at 8:00 P. M. in the Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

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A First Day Precancel

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Incidentally "HINGES" is well worth reading if you are interested in collecting U. S. Stamps.

Watermarking the Farleys

A rotogravure section of one of the New York Newspapers recently showed a picture of the manager of the Philatelic Exchange of New York, examining and expertizing stamps that the firm offers for sale. The picture showed the gentleman apparently watermarking a lot of the Farley Reissues. Leastwise, those were the stamps pictured together with the watermark tray, etc.

Constitution Celebration

The Postal Bulletin of January 12th again called on Postmasters throughout the United States to fill in questionnaires and cooperate with the Department in supplying information in support of the Celebration of the One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary of the Formation of the Constitution of the United States.

The dates set for the celebration are September 17, 1937, to April 30, 1939, inclusive. Therefore if we are to have a Constitution set of stamps, they will probably appear during this period.

UNUSUAL OFFERINGS

King Edward VIII—Mint, Set of 4 values	.24
King Edward VIII—Mint, Set of 4 values	
Blocks of 4	.96
King Edward VIII—Mint, Set of 4 values	
corner Blocks of 4	1.20
New Zealand Chamber of Commerce,	
2 values, (Scarce)	.15
Tixex Panes, Used, Sheet of 4	.35
Tixex Panes, Mint, Sheet of 4	.45
British Guiana, 210—214, Mint, Set of 5	.32
Cuba—General Maximo Gomez, Commem.,	
Complete 8 Values, Mint	.65
U. S. Airpost, #1316, 8c green, Mint	.25
U. S. Airpost, #1316, 8c green, Mint,	
Block of 4	1.00
U. S. Airpost, #1316, 8c green, Used	.03
U. S. Airpost, #1316, 8c green, Used,	
Singles, per 10	.20
U. S. Airpost, Special Delivery, #1400,	
16c blue, Mint	.28
U. S. Airpost, Special Delivery, #1400,	
16c blue, Mint, Block of 4	1.12

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Plate No. Blocks	1.25

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Plate No. Blocks	2.20

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Dominica	.90	Leeward Is.	.90	Niue	2.00	Union So. Afr.	13.50
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Change of ATEX Dates

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ATEX 1937 is the Second Annual National Philatelic Club Championship. Exhibits are not open to individual collectors, but such exhibits as are entered must be made by individual clubs which are to assemble pages for frames from different members of their clubs.

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COLUMBIAN 1893								ERICSSON 1926					
230	1c Blue	\$ 3.00	\$ 2.00	\$.25	\$.19	\$.02	\$.01	628	5c Violet	2.00			
231	2c Violet	3.00	2.75	.40	.30	.02	.01	WHITE PLAINS 1926					
232	3c Green	5.50	4.50	.75	.60	.40	.32	629	2c Carmine		.70		
233	4c Ultramarine	8.50	5.75	.90	.70	.11	.08	VERMONT—1927					
234	5c Chocolate	12.00	7.50	1.20	.90	.20	.16	643	2c Carmine		.80		
235	6c Purple	7.00	6.00	1.40	1.10	.76	.65	BURGOYNE—1927					
236	8c Magenta	7.50	6.50	1.10	.85	.20	.16	644	2c Carmine	1.50			
237	10c Black Brown	18.00	12.00	1.35	1.00	.13	.09	VALLEY FORGE 1928					
238	15c Dark Green	35.00	25.00	4.00	3.10	1.95	1.60	645	2c Carmine		.50		
239	30c Orange Brown	40.00	35.00	6.00	4.80	4.00	3.00	MOLLY PITCHER 1928					
240	50c Slate Blue			8.00	5.25	4.00	3.35	646	2c Carmine		.65		
241	\$1 Salmon			17.00	13.00	13.50	10.00	HAWAII 1928					
242	\$2 Brown Red			22.00	16.50	8.00	6.50	647	2c Carmine		1.00		
243	\$3 Yellow Green			30.00	24.00	25.00	20.00	648	5c Blue		2.75		
244	\$4 Crimson Lake			39.00	32.00	30.00	22.50	AERONAUTICS 1928					
245	\$5 Black			45.00	35.00	32.00	24.00	649	2c Carmine		.50		
TRANS-MISSISSIPPI 1898								650	5c Blue	1.35			
285	1c Yellow Green	3.35	2.50	.50	.38	.17	.14	GEORGE ROGERS CLARK 1929					
286	2c Copper Red	3.00	2.25	.30	.22	.04	.02	651	2c Carmine & Black		.45		
287	4c Orange	15.50	11.50	2.50	1.90	1.15	.95	EDISON—1929					
288	5c Dull Blue	21.50	16.00	2.60	1.95	1.25	.95	654	2c Carmine		.36		
289	8c Violet Brown	27.00	20.00	3.50	2.40	1.85	1.60	655	2c Rot. Press		.75		
290	10c Grey Violet	28.00	21.00	4.00	2.75	.95	.75	656	2c Coil	Pr. .40			
291	50c Sage Green			15.00	11.50	5.00	3.50	SULLIVAN—1929					
292	\$1 Black			28.00	20.00	15.00	12.50	657	2c Carmine		.30		
293	\$2 Orange Brown			40.00	32.50	22.50	17.95	FALLEN TIMBERS—1929					
PAN-AMERICAN 1901								680	2c Carmine		.40		
294	1c Green and Black	2.00	1.50	.35	.27	.10	.07	OHIO CANAL—1929					
295	2c Carmine and Black	2.25	1.75	.40	.30	.03	.02	681	2c Carmine		.30		
296	4c Chocolate and Black	12.50	9.50	1.75	1.35	.45	.36	MASS. BAY—1930					
297	5c Ultra. and Black	13.50	10.00	1.75	1.30	.90	.75	682	2c Carmine		.30		
298	8c Brown, Violet & Black	18.00	13.50	3.00	1.90	2.00	1.70	CHARLESTON—1930					
299	10c Yellow, Brown & Black	21.00	16.50	3.50	2.25	1.25	1.05	683	2c Carmine		.45		
LOUISIANA PURCHASE 1904								688	2c Carmine		.45		
323	1c Green	4.00	3.00	.60	.48	.30	.20	STEUBEN—1930					
324	2c Carmine	5.00	3.75	.60	.45	.06	.04	689	2c Carmine		.35		
325	3c Violet	14.00	10.50	2.50	1.85	1.75	1.55	PULASKI—1931					
326	5c Dark Blue	20.00	15.50	3.50	2.60	1.25	.95	690	2c Carmine		.25		
327	10c Red Brown	52.00	40.00	9.00	6.50	1.50	1.20	RED CROSS—1931					
JAMESTOWN EXPOS. 1907								702	2c Carmine and Black		.25		
328	1c Green	3.00	2.00	.50	.35	.20	.16	YORKTOWN—1931					
329	2c Carmine	3.50	2.25	.60	.45	.10	.07	703	2c Carmine and Black		.50		
330	5c Blue	25.00	17.50	4.50	3.00	1.50	1.25	WASHINGTON BICENTEN- NIAL—1932					
LINCOLN MEMORIAL 1909								704	1/2c Brown		.08		
367	2c Carmine	2.00	1.10	.35	.20	.05	.04	705	1c Green		.14		
368	2c Imperf.	8.00	7.00	2.00	1.75	1.75	1.50	706	1 1/2c Brown		.28		
369	2c Blue Paper	50.00	40.00	11.00	8.50		7.00	707	2c Carmine		.15		
ALASKA-YUKON 1909								708	3c Purple		.65		
370	2c Carmine	3.50	2.00	.50	.35	.08	.05	709	4c Brown		.30		
371	2c Imperf.	8.00	7.50	2.00	1.85	1.75	1.50	710	5c Blue		.40		
HUDSON-FULTON 1909								711	6c Orange		.65		
372	2c Carmine	2.50	1.50	.50	.25	.10	.08	712	7c Black		.50		
373	2c Imperf.	10.00	8.00	2.50	2.00	1.90	1.75	713	8c Olive		.60		
PANAMA-PACIFIC 1912-13 Perf. 12								714	9c Red		.75		
397	1c Green	2.50	1.50	.50	.30	.07	.05	715	10c Yellow		1.35		
398	2c Carmine	3.00	1.85	.60	.42	.03	.02	LAKE PLACID—1932					
399	5c Blue	20.00	16.00	4.00	2.25	.80	.65	716	2c Carmine		.25		
400	10c Orange		30.00	9.00	7.00	.70	.55	ARBOR DAY—1932					
400a	10c Orange-Yellow		20.50	6.00	3.50	.50	.36	717	2c Carmine		.25		
SAME BUT PERF. 10—1915								OLYMPIC GAMES—1932					
401	1c Green		5.00	1.10	.85	.20	.16	718	3c Purple		.45		
402	2c Carmine		21.00	5.50	4.50	.10	.07	719	5c Blue		.60		
403	5c Blue			6.00	4.50	.80	.65	3c COMMEMORATIVES 1932-34					
404	10c Orange			28.00	20.00	1.75	1.50	724	Penn		.25		
VICTORY 1919								725	Webster		.40		
537	3c Violet	3.00	2.00	.75	.48	.25	.18	726	Oglethorpe		.25		
PILGRIM 1920								727	Newburgh		.25		
548	1c Green	1.50	1.00	.25	.19	.10	.07	728	1c Chicago		.10		
549	2c Carmine	2.75	2.00	.50	.35	.05	.04	729	3c Chicago		.30		
550	5c Blue	12.00	9.50	2.50	1.75	1.00	.80	730	1c Chicago Imp.		.15		
HARDING MEMORIAL 1923								731	3c Chicago Imp.		.30		
611	2c Black	.75	.50	.15	.12	.02	.01	732	N. R. A.		.30		
612	2c Imperf.	2.00	1.80	.50	.42	.40	.32	733	Byrd		.45		
613	2c Rot. Perf. 10	3.00	2.25	.75	.50	.12	.08	734	Kosciusko		.40		
HUGENOT-WALLOON—1924								735	Byrd Imp.		.50		
614	1c Green	1.00	.75	.20	.16	.10	.08	736	Maryland		.30		
615	2c Carmine	1.75	1.40	.35	.27	.06	.06	737	Mothers Rot.		.25		
616	5c Blue	8.00	6.50	1.75	1.40	1.25	1.00	738	Mothers Flat		.25		
LEXINGTON-CONCORD 1925								739	Wisconsin		.25		
617	1c Green	1.00	.75	.25	.18	.20	.16	NATIONAL PARKS—1934					
618	2c Carmine	1.75	1.45	.40	.32	.30	.26	740	1c Green		.10		
619	5c Blue	4.50	3.75	1.00	.75	.75	.65	741	2c Red		.20		
NORSE-AMERICAN 1925-26								742	3c Purple		.28		
620	2c Carmine and Black	1.75	1.25	.40	.30	.35	.27	743	4c Brown		.28		
621	5c Blue and Black	6.50	5.50	1.50	1.30	1.25	1.12	744	5c Blue		.36		
SESQUICENTENNIAL 1926								745	6c Indigo		.60		
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748 9c Salmon	.70	.60	.17	.15	.08			
749 10c Black	.75	.65	.18	.17	.06			
750 3c Atlantic City Impf.	.45	.45	.12	.10	.08			
751 1c Omaha Impf.	.30	.30	.07	.05	.05			
778 Tipex			.12	.10	.12			
779 Tipex			.12	.10	.12			
780 Tipex			.12	.10	.12			
781 Tipex			.12	.10	.12			
NO.	ISSUE	Unused Block Selected	Unused Block	Unused Single Selected	Unused Single	Used Single Selected	Used Single	
COMMEMORATIVES 1935-36								
772 3c Connecticut		.30	.25	.07	.06	.03	.02	
773 3c California		.25	.20	.06	.05	.03	.02	
774 3c Boulder		.30	.25	.07	.06	.03	.02	
775 3c Michigan		.25	.20	.06	.05	.03	.02	
776 3c Texas		.25	.20	.06	.05	.03	.02	
777 3c Rhode Island		.25	.20	.06	.05	.03	.02	
782 3c Arkansas		.25	.20	.06	.05	.03	.02	
783 3c Oregon		.25	.20	.06	.05	.03	.02	
784 3c Suffrage		.25	.20	.06	.05	.03	.02	
NO.	ISSUE	Centerline 4 Arrow Blocks	Block Horiz. Line	Block Vert. Line	Pair Showing Line	Plate Block	Unused Block	Unused Single
FARLEY IMPERFORATES								
752 3c Newburgh		\$ 9.00	\$.65	\$.65	\$.32	\$.50	\$.15	\$.04
753 3c Byrd		6.00	.75	1.50	.38	.50	.36	.09
754 3c Mothers		5.25	.60	.50	.25	1.10	.44	.11
755 3c Wisconsin		5.25	.80	.50	.25	1.25	.44	.11
756 1c Park		2.00	.20	.50	.10	.40	.16	.04
757 2c Park		4.50	.60	.35	.18	.75	.28	.07
758 3c Park		4.50	.80	.35	.18	1.00	.28	.07
759 4c Park		6.50	.75	.55	.27	1.30	.48	.12
760 5c Park		7.50	.60	.90	.30	1.25	.55	.14
761 6c Park		9.50	1.20	.75	.38	2.10	.72	.18
762 7c Park		10.00	1.30	.75	.38	2.25	.72	.18
763 8c Park		11.00	.80	1.30	.40	2.50	.80	.20
764 9c Park		15.00	1.50	1.00	.50	2.60	.84	.21
765 10c Park		14.00	1.10	1.60	.55	2.75	.96	.24
Set of 10 Parks		79.50	8.10	7.25	3.50	16.50	5.00	1.25
IMPERFORATE SOUVENIR SHEETS								
		Cross Gutter Block	Horiz. Gutter Block	Vertical Gutter Block	Plate Block	Unused Block	Unused Single	
766 1c Chicago Imperf.		\$ 2.00	\$.25	\$.30	\$.40	\$.12	\$.03	
767 3c Chicago Imperf.		2.60	.40	.50	.60	.20	.05	
768 3c Byrd Imperf.		.85	.60	.75		.45	.10	
769 1c Park Imperf.		.55	.40	.50		.20	.05	
770 3c Park Imperf.		1.00	.65	.60		.40	.10	
Set of 5 Souvenirs		6.75	2.10	2.50		1.25	.30	
771 16c Airmail			3.75	3.50	10.00	3.00	.75	
EXHIBITION SHEETS								
629b WHITE PLAINS SHEET OF 25							Per Sheet Mint	
730 1c CHICAGO SHEET OF 25							\$ 5.50	
731 3c CHICAGO SHEET OF 25							.80	
735 3c BYRD SHEET OF 6							1.40	
751 1c OMAHA SHEET OF 6							.65	
750 3c ATLANTIC CITY SHEET OF 6							.35	
778-81 3c TIPEX SHEET OF 4							.60	
							.40	
	AIRMAILS	Mint Blocks Selected	Mint Blocks	Mint Singles Selected	Mint Singles Average	Used Singles Selected	Used Singles Average	
1918								
1300 6c Orange		\$ 3.50	\$ 3.00	\$.80	\$.75	\$.50	\$.45	
1301 16c Green		14.50	12.00	3.50	3.00	.95	.85	
1302 24c Carmine and Blue		7.00	6.00	1.75	1.50	1.10	1.00	
1923								
1303 8c Green		2.30	2.00	.55	.48	.45	.35	
1304 16c Blue		11.00	9.00	2.50	2.00	1.60	1.45	
1305 24c Carmine		12.00	10.00	2.60	2.25	.80	.70	
1926 to Date								
1306 10c Blue		.60	.55	.15	.13	.05	.03	
1307 15c Brown		.95	.80	.23	.20	.15	.10	
1308 20c Green		1.20	1.00	.29	.25	.15	.12	
1309 10c Lindbergh		.78	.68	.18	.17	.10	.05	
1310 5c Carmine and Blue		.60	.50	.15	.09	.04	.02	
1311 5c Violet Flat Plate		.60	.48	.15	.12	.02	.01	
1312-14 1930 GRAF ZEPP. SET.								
1315 5c Violet Rot. Press		.60	.36	.12	.09	.02	.01	
1316 8c Olive		.50	.40	.12	.10	.02	.01	
1317 50c 1933 Chicago ZEPP.		15.00	12.00	3.25	3.00	2.75	2.50	
1318 6c Orange		.40	.30	.10	.08	.02	.01	
1319 25c Clipper		1.40	1.20	.35	.30	.25	.25	
1400 16c Blue Spl. Del. Airmail		1.40	1.20	.35	.30	.18	.15	
1401 16c Carm. & Blue Airmail		.95	.80	.23	.20	.12	.10	

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Editor's Comment

STAMP BROKERAGE Several months ago Mr. Nelson P. LaGauke of Cleveland, Ohio, conceived the idea of handling mint sheets and other quick turning items such as Jubilees on a brokerage basis. His plan was to list material for owners and issue sheets of offers and at the same time to publish prices that others were ready and willing to pay for similar items. The method being very like the stock exchange where one man offers shares at a price until he finds a buyer and the other man offers to buy at a certain figure until he finds someone who is ready to sell at that figure.

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Mr. LaGauke started business under the name of the Mint Sheet Brokerage Company and issued weekly lists of wants and offers with price quotations. These lists were supplied weekly to those who signified their interest in the venture and the project has become quite successful.

Recently a similar plan has been operated from New York City, where with the greater mass of buyers it has been found practical to set up a room with a transactions board much as used in a stock exchange.

The Mint Sheet Brokerage Company have an announcement in this issue and if you are interested in stamps from a speculative standpoint you will do well to contact them.

It will be interesting to watch these projects both to see what influence they have on our hobby as they are purely an outgrowth of the speculative interest in stamp collecting as well as to see if the projects become a definite form of retailing better class stamps.

MOVED TO CANAL ZONE For some years past, the announcements of Alex A. Cohen have been carried in our columns. Mr. Cohen was formerly in Costa Rica and has now definitely located in the Canal Zone. For the benefit of his friends and correspondents we announce his new address as P. O. Box 5018, Ancon, Canal Zone. His announcements will appear throughout the coming months.

BRUNDIGE BUSINESS BOOMING We have always felt that the way to sell stamps is to sell them. This is evidently the way J. Merritt

Brundige of Albany runs his business as is evidenced by the two page announcement in this issue. Mr. Brundige has been a liberal user of our space in the past several months and as a result he is doing a booming business.

THE KING'S COLLECTION It has been a well known fact that King George V who died last year had the most remarkable collection of stamps of Great Britain and Colonies that had ever been assembled. For a time, this collection was recognized as belonging to Edward VIII who automatically took the place of his father as owner of the premier collection of British stamps and became Britain's Number One Stamp Collector.

With Edward's abdication, the collection stays in London and the title of Britain's Number One Stamp Collector passes with the collection to King George VI.

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Missing Period on Anthony Stamp

Mr. George T. Robinson of Hoboken, N. J., submits a block of four of the Anthony stamp which shows a missing period after the letter "B" in Susan B. Anthony. The stamp happens to be the hundredth stamp, the one bearing the plate number from the lower right pane. Plate number is 21590 and therefore easily identified.

He Aughta Collect Stamps

Recently Justice Van Devanter of the U. S. Supreme Court went duck hunting with the Chaplain of the Senate. A game warden approached them and asked if they were provided with the necessary duck stamps. The Chaplain had his, but the Justice admitted he had none and had never heard of the law requiring it. Upon his promise to go to the nearest postoffice and get one at once, the game warden tipped his hat and retired. And yet they expect all us little guys to know all the laws!

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Information on new issues and notes of interest to Precancel collectors should be addressed as above.

NEW BUREAUS, JAN. 5TH, 1937

San Bernardino, Calif. #121 1c coil.
Denver, Colo., #123 2c coil.
Brooklyn, N. Y., #87 17c ord.
LaCrosse, Wis., #71, 1c ord.

—Dr. W. I. Mitchell.

The 17c Brooklyn is surely a long awaited stamp. I know it is well over a year that the "sooner" boys were putting this item on their want list.

BUREAUS ON ORDER

New Towns:

Garrison, N. Y., 1c coil.
Kirkville, Mo., 1c ord.

New Items:

Binghamton, N. Y., 1c coil.
Columbus, Ga., 1c coil.
Rutherford, N. J., 1c ord.
Flushing, N. Y., 1c ord.

The 20c inverts (ups, I would call them) are worth about 10c as singles and \$1.00 in blocks. It will be a year prob-

ably before they are all in service. Don't get panicky. So says:

—H. M. Southgate.

THE PER CENTS

In response to my requests for collectors to check up on the incoming mail to see what per cent was coming thru as meters, I have had several replies which we will herewith disclose. The first check came from Jas. Coyne of Newark, O. He finds that of both regular and precancelled stamps, meters took the place of a little over 20% of the franks, counting just the precancels, meters replaced these by nearly 33%. H. H. Smith of Findlay, O., reports that of 27 packages noted 9 were metered; this is 33 1/3%; of first class mail 25 meters out of 162 pieces; this is about 15%. E. R. Kildow of Melbourne, Ia., reports that 65% of the local bank mail was metered. This is not unusual as a lot of the packages that banks receive are sent by first class mail.

YEAR BOOK

One of the many benefits members of the Precancel Stamp Society get from the organization is the Year Book. The one just released is bigger and better than ever. Think of having about 500 names at your finger tips with their addresses and specialty. This year for greater convenience the membership is also listed under their respective states. ONLY members of the Society can get this book, so don't try unless you plan on joining the Society. I have application blanks for those who are interested.

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Wm. W. DuShay of Meriden, Conn., submits an Electric Eye from Jacksonville, Fla., in U-121 electro. Wm. W. Hurrell of McKeesport, Pa., reports Electric Eyes from Bridgeport, Conn., and Bethlehem, Pa., the latter in U-8.—Phil Dodger at hand, and I understand that soon the Dodger is to sing its swan song, much to the relief of some people, I bet. A wad of other sheets at hand, too. The Scorpion and Charter Oak and Rickards Auction lists as well as a Souvenir copy of the Golden Gate Bulletin given at a recent dinner meeting of the Society. It came in a Berkeley envelope accompanied with a 1/2c ord. in U-14.

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Broadway Chatter

By Bi Stander



According to "Stamp Collecting" of London, the post office on Ascension Island is open for only nine hours a month. From this we can glean that genuinely used Ascensions are scarce.

In President Roosevelt's budget message he told Congress that Postoffice appropriations for the next fiscal year were figured on the assumption that "the 3-cent postage rate for first class mail other than for local delivery" would be continued. That means that the new commemoratives that come out in 1937 will be all of the 3-cent value.

A young stamp dealer, thinking he would "crash" New York, opened an office on a street further than the midtown section of New York, in a building we consider out of the beaten path. He stayed there a month, and he advised us that near the end of the month he had

one visitor and that man stated he was looking for somebody else in the building. That was too much and now our budding stamp dealer has his office in his hat.

"Anonymous" writing in that national magazine "Esquire" has stirred up a hornet's nest particularly in New York. Among other things he stated he had bought some fine U. S. mint and needing money had to sell the stamps for a price of a fifth below face. This seems to be stupid for nearly anybody would be intelligent enough to know that any auctioneer would advance at least face or more on good U. S. mint. The same thing happened also on his foreign and he claims he sold them for one-hundredth of catalog. It does not seem possible that this is so, and we have not heard of any dealer who bought such a bargain. We expect to read an article in "Esquire" refuting this account that must be highly colored.

The Director of Post and Telegraphs of Sudan gives the following information of the quantities issued of the Sudan Air Mail Provisionals: 15 Mils. on 10 Mils.—58,300; 2½ Pi. on 3 Mils.—24,050; 2½ Pi. on 5 Mils.—47,750; 3 Pi. on 4½ Pi.—16,000; 7½ Pi. on 4½ Pi. and 10 Pi. on 4½ Pi.—10,000. For this reason catalog prices on these stamps, to our mind, are low.

An English dealer here for a few months has been trying to market the "Ethiopian Red Cross" series of 5, 10, 25 and 50c and 1t. These stamps are not recognized in England, and from the information we can obtain this set should not be listed here. We understand that this set has been printed on the request of certain interests in Europe.

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Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, dedicated Bartholomeu Gueman airport on December 26 for use of the Zeppelins. . . . Dedication news is scarce as is other types of news. . . . A reader submits a number of covers for advice. One bearing the air mail stamp of Chicago over an ordinary 2c stamp, is dated the date of the Chicago to St. Louis government flight—August 16, 1919, but bears no backstamp to indicate that it was so carried and hence bears no value. Another from Bryan-Cleveland to New York government flight on December 18, 1918, but as no flight east was made on this date, the stamp on it is worth more than the cover. In the early days of cover collecting, many covers developed which are merely indications of the progress of air mail and have no special significance.

Let's have some air news. That's all this week.

Moves to America

The Frasek Company, long noted as one of the largest stamp dealers in the world, has moved its headquarters from Lugano, Switzerland, to White Plains, New York.

Occupying an entire floor in the Martlex Building in White Plains, Frasek employs a staff of almost fifty men and women, which will probably be expanded to triple the amount when the firm completes shipment of its stock from Switzerland.

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Garfield-Perry Stamp Club Plans March Meet

Already Donald W. Martin, President of the Garfield-Perry Stamp Club of Cleveland, Ohio, has appointed his committees for the annual meeting to be held in March. The dates are not yet announced but always center about the week end nearest the 17th of March.

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INDIA—Gwailor. Official Stamps. New small die overprinted in native characters in two lines same as Scott's #348:

2a. vermilion
(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

Jaipur. We are informed that future Official Stamps for this Native State, will be overprinted locally, instead of at Nasik, and the first of these was 1/4a. black & brown-lake noted by us October 24th.

(Gibbons' Stamp Monthly)

Patiala. Official Stamp. Under-noted stamp of India, overprinted "Patiala State Service." Wmkd. mult. star, perf. 14:

2r. carmine & orange

Bijawar. As mentioned in our notes of December 26th, all values of the set exist both perforated and rouletted and we note below the three values as rouletted 7, not previously listed:

9p. violet
1a. blue
2a. deep green

(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

LITHUANIA—Type of 1934. wmkd. mult. letters, perf. 14. Size 17 1/2 x 23mm.:

A44—5c. green
(Scott's Monthly Supplement)

LUXEMBURG—Semi-Postal Stamps. 1936 Charity set. Portrait of Wencelas, the First Duke of Luxembourg. Photogravure printing, unwmkd. Large upright rectangular format 23x30 1/2 mm. 60,000 each of the three highest values were printed and larger quantities of the lower values:

10c. plus	5c. brown
35c. plus	10c. blue-green
70c. plus	20c. slate
1fr. plus	25c. deep rose
1.25fr. plus	75c. purple
1.75fr. plus	1.50fr. deep blue

(L. A. Russell)

NICARAGUA—Stamp of 1922, overprinted in carmine, same as Scott's #851. Unwmkd., perf. 12:

A24—1/2c. dark green

Regular issues of 1931-32, surcharged in black in three lines "Resello 1936 Vale Un Centavo":

A24—1c. on 15c. orange-red
A25—1c. on 20c. orange
A25—2c. on 2c. green
A25—2c. on 10c. yellow

Regular issues of 1929-31 overprinted in black in two lines "Resello 1936":

A24—3c. light blue
A24—5c. olive-brown
A25—10c. light brown

Air Post Stamps. Regular issues of 1922-28, surcharged in five lines "Resello 1936 Correo Aereo Interior Vale \$0.08." Unwmkd., perf. 12:

A25—1c. on 2c. green
A24—2c. on 3c. olive-green
A24—8c. on 15c. brown

Nos. 611, 613, 615, 852, 1122, 1133 and 1134 in the 1937 catalog exist with red or carmine surcharge. The 10c. light brown in the listing just above the Air Post stamps, above, is surcharged with script control mark.

(Scott's Monthly Supplement)

PERSIA—Additional values to go with those noted December 19th. "d" values are small format 24x30mm., while the "ri" values are 27x35mm. Design, same as before, perf. 11, unwmkd.:

A57—60d. yellow-brown
A57—90d. red
A57—2ri. bright blue
A57—3ri. maroon

(R. Roberts)

PERU—New Pictorial Postage Series. One value—the 10c.—is at hand from Joseph Green. Recess-printed, perf. 12 1/2. Large upright rectangular format. From Gibbons' Stamp Monthly, we learn the colors and designs of the remaining values of the set:

2c. light brown (Guano deposits)
4c. brown (Petroleum Mine, Talara)
10c. red ("El Chasqui," the Inca mail carrier)
15c. blue (Paseo de la Republica, Lima)
20c. black (Municipal Palace and Historical Museum, Lima)
50c. yellow (University of San Marcos at Lima)
1S. mauve (Posts, Telegraph and Radio Building, Lima)
2S. blue (D. Manuel de Amat y Junyent)
5S. blue (D. Joseph Antonio de Pando y Riva)
10S. brown and mauve (Dr. Jose Davila Condomarin)

The 2c. and 1S. values are photogravure printing and the rest of the set recess.

New Air Post Stamps. Heralded in our notes of July 18th, 1936. One value at hand from Mr. Green and the balance taken from Gibbons' Stamp Monthly. 5c. at hand is horizontal rectangular format, large size, perf. 12 1/2, unwmkd. 2S. and 10S. are recess and balance photogravure printing:

5c. green ("La Mar" Park, Lima)
15c. blue (Postal Steamboat "Inca," on Lake Titicaca)
20c. gray ("Quenista" native)
30c. brown (Wool Industry, a model farm)
35c. brown (Jorge Chavez)
50c. yellow (Peruvian minerals)
70c. blue (The Peruvian Coastal Region)
80c. gray (The Sierra region)
1S. brown (The Central Railway of Peru)
1.50S. brown (The Jorge Chavez Aviation School, Las Palmas)
2S. blue (Transport)
5S. green (Virgin Peruvian Forest)
10S. brown and red (Santa Rosa de Lima)

PERU—Whitfield, King & Co. report the following quantities issued of the provisionals listed by us recently. 2c. on 4c.—1,500,000; 5c. on 2S.—650,000; 10c. on 20c.—650,000; 25c. on 5S.—140,000. They also state that one stamp on each sheet of the 2c. on 4c. shows an error "0.20" instead of "0.02," and on each sheet of the 25c. on 5S., there is an error showing the value "0.25" instead of "0.25."

Semi-Postal Stamp. Copy at hand, from Joseph Green, of Scott's #427, overprinted in black in two lines vertically, reading up "Ley 8310." We regret that we cannot give any further information on the reason for this overprint at this time. Any reader having the data will confer a favor on both ourselves and Mr. Green, by sending same to us.

Postage Due Stamps. Type of 1909-32, size 19x24 mm., with imprint Waterlow & Sons, Limited, Londres. Unwmkd., perf. 12 1/2:

D7—2c. light brown
D7—10c. gray-green

Official Stamps. Same wmkd., description and perf. as above:

O1—10c. light brown
O1—50c. gray-green

(Scott's Monthly Journal)

PHILIPPINES—First Anniversary Commemoratives. Heralded in our notes of November 21st. Line engraved, large format 35x30 1/2 mm., perf. 11. Portrait of the President:

2c. red-brown (Manuel Quezon)
6c. olive (same)
12c. pale ultramarine (same)
(R. Roberts)

PHILIPPINES—1935 Issue overprinted "COMMONWEALTH":

6c. dark brown (La Filipina)
16c. dark blue (Magellan's Landing)
1P. red-orange and black (Barasasin Church)
(R. Roberts)

Following are the quantities issued of the "Manila-Madrid" stamps chronicled by us November 21st: 2c. on 4c.—2,000,000; 6c. on 12c.—500,000; 16c. on 26c.—300,000.

(Gibbons' Stamp Monthly)

Whitfield, King & Co. report that Bishop Aglipay has filed suit against Juan Ruiz endeavoring to restrain him from issuing the Eucharistic stamps, mentioned in our notes some months ago. They also state that the central design showing a chalice has been changed, possibly to overcome objection to the series.

ROUMANIA—Photogravure printing, large type 28x33mm., perf. 13 1/2. Portrait type, King Carol looking to right, overprinted in red in small block caps, at left reading up: "CEHOSLOVACIA," at right reading down "YUGOSLAVIA," at foot, at right "1920-1936":

7.50L. ultramarine
10L. deep blue

(R. Roberts)

Aviation Fund Stamps. Typographed, perf. 14. wmkd., crowns and monograms; horizontal rectangular format, new design:

10b.—orange
(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

Scott's tentatively list the three Aviation Fund stamps noted by us Dec. 26th, so the above no doubt will fall in the same category.

50,000 sets were all that were printed of the Marine Exhibition stamps noted by us December 12th, and as mentioned previously only ten sets were sold at a time by the Post Office, and five sets at a time at the Exhibition.

(Gibbons' Stamp Monthly)

SAN MARINO—Postage Due Provisional. Postage due stamp of 1925, surcharged in black "Lire 1", with original value obliterated by four horizontal bars. Wmkd., perf. 14 1/2 x 14:

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A sad feature of all hobbies is the fact that enthusiasm rises high for a time

and activity is most pronounced, then lack of interest begins to develop and pretty soon a lot of the old faithfuls drop from the picture. This is the case with every society under the sun that has a hobby as a background. Sometimes, though, it is possible to revive the old spirit in the veterans, and this is a call to a number of them to come forth again, if only for an event or two, and show the newcomers how the old timers did it, by sponsoring an event or two. Naming names directly, I'd like to hear of a revival in interest on the part of Len Rogers, J. P. Clark, W. C. Lobdell, Leslie Paulson, Ray Aikin, Roland Hopkins, Harry Litton, Byrd Powell and others of the veterans who were so largely instrumental in putting our hobby where it is. This isn't to wet-blanket the newcomers, for they are welcome, and without them the hobby would at the moment be in rather much of a fix. Selah!

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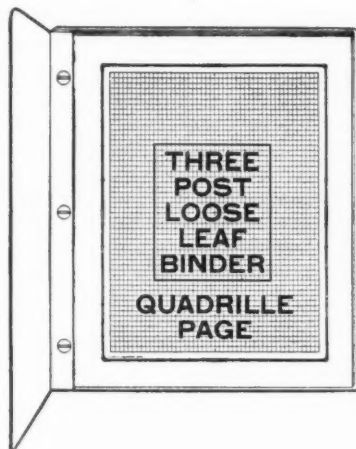
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